



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| : Examiner: Patrick H. Mackey |
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| : Group Art Unit: 3651 |
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| : February 14, 2006 |
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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 41 | MINUS | 41 | = 0 | x \$25 \$50 | 0 | |
| INDEX. CLAIMS | 2 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | x \$100 \$200 | 0 | |
| Fee for Mul | Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT— | | | | | 0 | | |

| °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously. |
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| A check in the amount of is enclosed. |
| Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. |
| Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed. |
| A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed. |
| A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed. |
| Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below. Respectfully submitted Attorney for Applicants Gary M. Jacobs Registration No. 28,861 |
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| In re Application of: |) |
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| | : Examiner: Patrick H. Mackey |
| Kenichi HAYASHI et al. |) |
| | : Group Art Unit: 3651 |
| Application No.: 10/789,985 |) |
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| Filed: March 2, 2004 |) |
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| For: SHEET PROCESSING APPARATUS |) |
| FOR STORING SUPPLIED SHEETS | : February 14, 2006 |
| WHILE PRECEDING SHEETS |) |
| ARE PROCESSED | : |

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

As a supplement to the Amendment filed on January 23, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.